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Enclosed for filing is a complete patent application, entitled "UNIVERSAL DATA EDITOR" invented by:

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and including the following documents:

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Specification including Claims - 41 pages

Abstract of the Disclosure - 2 pages

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Drawings - 38 sheets

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Declaration, Power of Attorney

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Applicant claims small entity status

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Dear Sir:

This communication is in response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application dated August 28, 2001. Applicant submits as Exhibit A a copy of cancelled Check

No. 1274 in the amount \$395.00 (\$355.00 filing fee plus \$40.00 assignment recordal fee),

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that Check No. 1274 was in fact sent with the filed application. The postcard was returned to

applicant's attorney by the PTO, presumably indicating that all items listed on the postcard were

in fact received by the PTO. Applicant believes this evidence sufficiently shows that the filing

fee was paid by applicant at the time the application was filed.

As no elements were in fact absent from the original filing, applicant respectfully

requests that the late filing fee be waived.

Applicant submits with this communication a substitute abstract in compliance with 37

C.F.R. 1.72(b) and substitute drawing sheets in compliance with 37 C.F.R. 1.84(g). Also

enclosed is a copy of the Notice (Exhibit C) as required.

Dated: October 17, 2001

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